

CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF
ALONZO "TAT" CARTER



Sunrise

September 30, 1948

Sunset

January 21, 2013

Memorial Services Held

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 16TH 2013 at 12:00PM

Greater Abundant Life Ministries

671 9TH STREET • RICHMOND, CA 94801

Officiating

BISHOP VINCENT MANYWEATHER

Obituary

ALONZO CARTER WAS BORN SEPTEMBER 30, 1948 IN TALLULAH, LOUISIANA TO WILLIE CARTER SR. AND IDA B. HARTWELL-CARTER. ALONZO WAS THE YOUNGEST OF 6 CHILDREN. AS A CHILD ALONZO ATTENDED FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF HERLONG CA. CHURCH SERVICES INCLUDED SUNSHINE BAND AND VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL AND HE ATTENDED CHURCH SERVICES THROUGHOUT HIS LIFE.

ALONZO BEGAN HIS ELEMENTARY EDUCATION IN HERLONG CA, AND THE FAMILY RELOCATED TO RICHMOND CA, IN AUGUST OF 1954 WHERE HE ATTENDED PERES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, ROOSEVELT JR HIGH SCHOOL AND GRADUATED FROM RICHMOND HIGH SCHOOL IN 1966.

ALONZO'S VARIOUS CAREERS INCLUDED: MILEN'S JEWELERS IN RICHMOND CA, CERTAINTED ROOFING AND BUILDING INC, RICHMOND CA, GOODWILL INDUSTRIES, RICHMOND CA, CONSTRUCTION CO; FOR CAL NEVA CASINO, RENO NEVADA, SILVER LEGACY CASINO RESORT AND THE ATLANTIS RESORT HOTEL OF RENO NEVADA.

ALONZO WAS A KIND, LOVEABLE, AND ENERGETIC INDIVIDUAL WITH A BEAUTIFUL SMILE; VERY MANNERABLE AND RESPECTFUL AND ALWAYS WILLING TO ADAPT HIMSELF TO ANY SITUATION, HE ALSO ENJOYED FAMILY AND FRIEND GATHERINGS, COOKING "TURKEY WINGS" AND HIS FAVORITE DAILY WORD WAS "MAKE ME KNOW IT", AND THEN HE WOULD BURST OUT LAUGHING. ALONZO WAS ALSO AN AVID SPORTS FAN. HIS FAVORITE SPORT BEING FOOTBALL AND HIS FAVORITE TEAMS WERE, THE OAKLAND RAIDERS AND THE PITTSBURG STEELERS.

ALONZO MET AND UNITED IN HOLY MATRIMONY WITH THE LATE DOROTHY JEAN JACKSON ON SEPTEMBER 30, 1971 AND TO THIS UNION ARE TWO LOVELY DAUGHTERS, DOROTHY DORTON AND ALICIA CARTER. HE LATER MARRIED LINDA MARIE SIMON AND INCREASED THE FAMILY UNIT TO TWO MORE CHILDREN, IRA NETHERLY AND SABRINA SIMON. AFTER RELOCATING FROM RICHMOND, CA TO RENO NEVADA, HE MET A LOVELY COMPANION, ANTIONETTE BARNES AND THEY RESIDED TOGETHER FOR THIRTEEN YEARS UNTIL HER DEMISE, MAY 2012, TO THIS UNION WERE TWO MORE CHILDREN, NATHAN AND NATALIE BARNES.

ALONZO WAS PRECEDED IN DEATH BY HIS PARENTS WILLIE CARTER SR. AND IDA B. HARTWELL-CARTER; THREE BROTHERS WILLIE CARTER JR, FRED CARTER AND JAMES P. CARTER.

Order of Service

PROCESSIONAL ORGAN PRELUDE

PRAYER MINISTER/PASTOR

SCRIPTURE MINISTER/PASTOR

WORDS OF EXPRESSIONS PASTOR DANA KEITH MITCHELL

SOLO ZETTIE GOODEN

EXPRESSIONS (LIMIT TWO MINUTES) FAMILY/FRIENDS

POEM ASHLEY & A'NIYAH

OBITUARY ANISSA JONES-ALLEN

WORDS OF COMFORT/CLOSING REMARKS

BISHOP VINCENT MANYWEATHER





Granps's Gone To Heaven

ONE QUIET DAY THE ANGELS CAME AND TOOK GRANPA FAR AWAY, BUT
IN THE STILLNESS OF THE NIGHT, I COULD ALMOST HEAR HIM SAY "DEAR
GRANDCHILD, " I WILL MISS YOU, YOU MEAN SO MUCH TO ME BUT JESUS
CALLED ME TO HIS SIDE IN HEAVEN I WILL BE, A PLACE OF GODS GREAT
BEAUTY, NO TEARS OR EARTHLY CARES ONLY PEACE AND JOY FOREVER
AND LOVE BEYOND COMPARE, SO REMEMBER ALL THE GOOD TIMES,
DON'T THINK ABOUT THE SAD, TREASURE ALL THE SPECIAL MOMENTS
THROUGH THE YEARS WE'VE ALWAYS HAD, AND IF YOU TRUST IN JESUS I
CAN PROMISE THIS AND MORE, YOU WILL GET A HUG FROM GRANDPA
SOMEDAY ON HEAVEN'S GOLDEN SHORE.

Love, Ashley & Aniyah

ALONZO LEAVES TO CHERISH HIS MEMORIES

ONE DAUGHTER

ALICIA DENISE CARTER (JASON)

SAN PABLO, CA

STEP CHILDREN

DOROTHY DORTON, (REGGIE) RICHMOND, CA

IRA NETHERLY, RICHMOND, CA

SABRINA SIMON-MATTHEWS, (KEITH) SACRAMENTO CA

NATHAN BARNES JR.

TWO SISTERS

BARBARA JEAN JONES (BOBBY), RICHMOND, CA

BETTY JEAN PARKER, OAKLAND, CA

TWO AUNTS

LUELLA SMITH, OAKLAND, CA

ESTELLA HARTWELL WASHINGTON, D.C.

TWO UNCLES

WILLIAM HARTWEL, LAS VEGAS NEVADA

EDGERTON HARTWELL LAS VEGAS, NEVADA

TWENTY-TWO

GRANDCHILDREN

A HOST OF RELATIVES AND FRIENDS WHO ARE COMFORTED WITH THE
KNOWLEDGE THAT HE LIVES IN THE HEARTS AND MINDS OF EVERYONE.

GOD SAW THE ROAD WAS GETTING ROUGH AND THE HILL WAS GETTING HARD TO CLIMB. HE GENTLY CLOSED THOSE LOVING EYES AND WHISPERED "PEACE BE THINE". THE WEARY HOURS, THE DAYS OF PAIN, THE SLEEPLESS NIGHTS ARE PASSED THE EVER PATIENT WORN OUT FRAME HAS FOUND SWEET REST ATLAST. SO "DAD" UNTIL ONCE AGAIN WE MEET, MAY YOUR SOUL REST IN PEACE. YOUR DAUGHTER, ALICIA.



AND GOD SHALL WIPE AWAY ALL TEARS FROM THERE EYES; AND THERE SHALL BE NO MORE DEATH, NEITHER SORROW, NOR CRYING, NEITHER SHALL THERE BE NO MORE PAIN; FOR THE FORMER THINGS ARE PASSED AWAY. REV.21;4

THE FAMILY OF ALONZO CARTER ACKNOWLEDGES AND APPRECIATES THE MANY KIND EXPRESSIONS OF LOVE EVIDENCED IN THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS, ATTENDANCE AND YOUR EXPRESSIONS OF KINDNESS, CONDOLENCES, AND ALL SUPPORT DURING THE PASSING OF OUR LOVED ONE.